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<b>Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b> 09/853,716	<b>Applicant(s)</b> WILSON ET AL.	
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**Date of Interview:** 8/14/2007

**Time:** 11 am EST

**Type of Interview:**

- ☒ Telephonic  
☐ Video Conference  
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

**Part I.**

Rejection(s) discussed:

NA

Claims discussed:

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Prior art documents discussed:

NA


**Part II.**

**SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:**

*Discussed the definition of VBN with reference to the Applicant's invention. Claim 1 overcomes the prior art, however, further search and consideration in light of the interview discussion will be done upon formal response.*

**Part III.**

- ☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.  
☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

  
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